

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Kohei MIYAZONO et al.  
Serial No. : 09/039,177  
Filed : March 13, 1998  
For : ISOLATED ALK-1 PROTEIN, NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING  
IT, AND USES THEREOF  
Art Unit : 1646  
Examiner : D. Fitzgerald



Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND FEE

Sir:

Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office  
Action dated November 5, 1999.

The required fee for this three-month extension is \$870.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. The  
Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct the fee of \$870.00 from Deposit Account  
No. 500624.

Respectfully submitted,

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